

COVID-19, China's Global Role and Establishment of the New World Order

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Abstract

COVID-19 has transformed the path and dimension of the present world order. It has effects on all walks of human being. It has compelled policy makers to rethink and restructure the existing national and global policy for preparing to cope with new challenges which could occur anytime. At this critical transition created by COVID-19, US administration exhibits less-cooperative tendency and cut off support to international agencies. Naturally, as a second economic power and being significant responsible global actor, China need to make tangible efforts to integrate the world and build global solidarity to fight with tough challenges like COVID-19. The finding of this study is that China with making consensus with developing world should show more cooperative approach and play meaningful role to create new world order which would be expedient to tackle new challenges. This paper is based on qualitative research with explanatory form in an empirical basis. Solidarity theory is used to guide, analyze and come in a conclusion for this study.

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Introduction

COVID-19 is the largest health, economic and social challenge we have faced since the WWII. As Experts says even after the complete eradication of the virus, we have to live with multiple consequences created by COVID-19 for many years to come. While US is leaving traditional global role, China and other major powers have responsibility for bringing world leaders together and build up common mechanism to combat with common challenges like COVID-19. Global leaders need to be responsible at the critical moment of world history. But unfortunately, the COVID-19 outbreak is fueling an ideological battle between the US, China and Europe (Duran 2020). Experienced shows that blaming game at a time of pandemic is hugely fatal and devastating for all communities.

As a Second Economy, China need to play constructive and supportive role to expand solidarity and support to battle the virus and make a new normal situation propitious to all. Beijing has expanded support to many countries of the world. Even while European Union (EU) was hesitating, China provided large sum of medical supports to most affected countries like Italy, Spain. US faced severe situation because it didn't take pandemic seriously at the beginning, and second, it distracts from the global community ignoring to make combine efforts. US cut off the support to World Health Organization (WHO). These all scenario, as experts foster debate to create new international order which can deal with new challenges and make aware for future threats.

With the effects of pandemic, experts say that the world enter into the new paradigm of the new world order. Asian countries have showed more sophistication and strong management capacities at a time of pandemic. America no longer can claim her overwhelm influence in the world. "The pandemic has exposed the worst of US President Donald Trump's America First' doctrine, and its overwhelming concern with relative US gains at the expense of the global good" (East Asia Forum 2020). Studies say

that the world will not be same as pre-pandemic age. It will take time to become completely normal condition. As Chinese President Xi Jinping says global solidarity is required to eradicate COVID-19 from the world. With contributing large amount of medical supports, China has demonstrated her global role (People's Daily 2020 June 20). Global role of China will show the shape, structure and pattern of new world order.

Finding of this paper is with massive humanitarian support and pragmatic efforts of solidarity, China has played a constructive role being responsible stakeholder. With America's tangible decline, the world has entered into a new world order and for it new global consensus is required. China and other many Asian countries have proved and showed their structural and internal strength for state management. China's cooperative efforts will foster the process to create new world order with building consensus and solidarity with developing world. This paper is based on qualitative research with explanatory form in an empirical basis. Solidarity theory is used to guide, analyze and come in a conclusion for this study.

Theoretical Framework and Research Methodology:

For this purpose of the study, solidarity theory is used to analyze, study and come in a conclusion to find the new ways for building solidarity among global community particularly at a time of critical situation. The word 'solidarity' came in an intellectual discourse from the Latin word 'ob-ligatio in solidium' means group liability of joint debtors. Philosopher Emile Durkheim (1893) adopted the word solidarity as part of social science spheres. After that this term is used for a micro and macro both perspective in a national and international domain. After Durkheim, many academics, researchers and scholars have contributed to expand the broader use of solidarity (Laitinen 2014). The concept of solidarity has huge influence on social democracy, liberalism, Marxism, formation of United Nations and European Union and other many international discourses and campaigns. At per requirement of the theme of this research paper, solidarity theory has given proper direction and theoretical guidance to analyze the situation and come in a tangible cooperation. This study is based on qualitative research with explorative form in an empirical basis. Secondary data is used with filtering through validity and rationality.

COVID-19 crisis and Global Narrative

For a long time, US who think itself sole superpower of the planet, tries to transform China toward its principle. But what US policy makers forgot is that China has thousands years of civilization and US just has a history of 245 years. US is gradually changing its observation towards China (McKinsey 2020). Historically, culturally and in terms of evolution of development, China has more things to share with the world. So why US policy makers have failed on dealing with China particularly since 1972 is that they used their own lens to see Chinese society and psychology. Similar things happened to the rest of world too with blatantly accepting US-imposed development model, it only creates conflict, injustice and poverty rather than resolving it.

With the ascendancy of Donald Trump in the White House, US have been leaving international cooperation and solidarity. The very clear example came at time of COVID-19 crisis also. Medical experts are saying that without global cooperation and solidarity, it will be very hard to get victory over COVID-19 completely. State's roles need to be effective at a time of crisis (Economist 2020 March). If every nation deal without cooperating other, battle over COVID-19 will be long and devastating in terms of human lives and socio-economic aspects. For US, people are highly divided on how to combat with COVID-19 and major parties also tries to appease people's sentiment (Tourangbam and Hariharan 2020).

At the present globalized world, interdependencies and inter-complexities are very deep in an expanding level with fostering pace of globalization. But now experts worry on that Post-COVID-19 global order could be misguided and misused by ultra-nationalist, protectionist and anti-globalization forces. Particularly, degrading relations between US and China, as experts suggest, could be catastrophic for peace and stability of the entire world. Since the first week of February, war of words between the two big economic powers on the issues of COVID-19 came in surface. Unfortunately, from January to mid of March, Trump administration ignored possibilities of expansion of virus and reiterated that America has number one medical experts and hospital in the world which would detect all. It just claimed that corona virus won't come in US; it's just a China's internal health problem. But in another side, China showed effective implications to control the virus (Business Wire 2020).

But at last ignorance and superiority attitude set out high host when corona virus massively attacked in the US. Thousands people died and millions infected due to corona virus. World have known the real face of American structural development model. World community became wonder about American incapability even to provide minimum masks and ventilators in the hospital. In another corner, with concrete integrated efforts China has succeed to tackle the corona virus effectively with less human casualties as expected. After that, while virus took expansionist move in many countries of the world, China has begun to send medical equipments, drugs/medicines, doctors and health workers to many countries to support them to battle against the corona virus. Chinese authorities thought that it is an essential to foster international solidarity and cooperation at this critical health problem of the world. China's private sectors like Ali Baba group and other enterprises also provided huge amount of medical support to many countries in the world.

When American President Donald Trump accusing China over COVID-19, Dr. Anthony Fauci clearly dismissed the theory that corona virus was originated in a Wuhan lab. "The best evidence shows the virus behind the pandemic was not made in a lab in China," Fauci said in an interview with National Geographic magazine (Newsweek 2020). He said that this virus evolved in nature and entered species. American leadership at the critical moment need to bring major global powers in one platform and make combine efforts to get victory over COVID-19. Combine research work will be more effective to find solution very fast rather than individual efforts. Leadership need to follow science and fact-based narrative.

On their phone conversation of March 27, Chinese president Xi Jinping has called on Trump to take substantive actions to foster cooperation. "Working together brings both sides benefits, fighting hurts both. Cooperation is the only choice," Xi said in a discussion (The Guardian 2020). European Union is emphasizing on global solidarity and extending supports to underdeveloped countries. Trump administration directly rejected any medical research collaboration with European countries. The reality is that most of the European countries are doing better job to combat corona virus than US federal government.

Need to Redefine National Security

Corona virus has given multiple effects on various areas beside health too. One of the most serious issues now many governments of the world are talking is to redefine their national security and essentially giving major priority on national health issues with collaborating with rest of the global community. One of the top victims of the COVID-19 is US, its national security apparatus are said very advanced, well funded and best equipped (Hathaway 2020). After the 9/11 incident, US administration has put military-counter attack doctrine on its top national security priority. But with the severe effect of the COVID-19 in the US, it clearly tells that national security strategy of the US is wrong and misguided. This bitter reality also observed in many countries in the world. Advanced European countries also suffered on same doctrine.

Experts say that death toll of COVID-19 is higher than terrorist attacks in the post 9/11 scenario. There should not be any debate on that prime objective of the national security is to protect citizen's life. Medical experts are saying that major reason China's successful tackling of the COVID-19 crisis is that China learned a good lesson from SARS effect of 2003 and started to funnel massive budget on building medical infrastructure, manpower and drugs production. Tentatively, the countries with having proper health security arrangement experienced less fatality of COVID 19, for example of Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Germany, Vietnam, Japan, Singapore so on. COVID-19 unquestionably gives a lesson to redefine national security and put ongoing and future health crisis on one of the most important considering areas while building strategy.

Failure of most of the advanced Western countries to tackle COVID-19 in a proper manner shows that they should change their policy on existing counter terrorism strategy. They spent billions of dollars and resources on it, which is said meaningless to stop terrorism instead if they spend that amount for poverty and health sector in national and global sphere, it would be huge contribution to make the safer place. There are some slogan in West like "end the endless wars" becoming loud to give pressure to their respective government. US counterterrorism actions became counterproductive and ineffective, and also it took the large number of human lives. COVID-19 crisis objectively clarified about unproductive Western security strategy visible in a front.

In the case of US, world community now came in a conclusion that its national security in a real sense has been in a critical risk. Inadequate healthcare system is taken on the weakest points of the national strength. Now people are asking US politicians and policy makes that for whom actually billion dollars has been spending in a name of national security, who is getting benefits from it. Even from the domestic security aspect, US society is most vulnerable, unsafe and divided in comparison to the rest of the countries of the world. It is said that since the Civil War, Americans are at risk of dying at higher numbers in this pandemic (Hathaway, 2020). Similarly, due to pandemic millions of American have lost their jobs and employment-based health care system looks noticeably unfair and destructive.

Experts are saying that the world will be structurally different after COVID-19 crisis. This crisis is hampering on multiple fronts. Firstly, without speedy and effective international cooperation, it will be very difficult to exit from this crisis safely (Woods and Batniji 2020). Some warns that after COVID-19 nationalistic and anti-globalization forces could be raised in the world. If this trend comes in the national and global politics, it will be very devastating for global peace and stability. Nationalist jingoism starts zero-some game in the global politics, which divert global common challenge and hurdle on necessary global solidarity to address the common threats and challenges.

Building Global Solidarity for Long Run

Message of the COVID-19 crisis is that still there is huge gap on building global solidarity to tackle the health-related challenges. UN Secretary-General has called for solidarity emphasizing that "we are all in this together". Health experts suggest behavior change is necessary globally. We can fight alone with pandemic like COVID-19. Today's world is more interconnected and has exchanges on multiple spheres. The reason behind speedy flow of COVID-19 is a lack of building effective global solidarity. One study concludes, "solidarity as an additional strategy and resource to elicit the widespread compliance and conformity needed to boost the impact of policies" (Cammatt and Lieberman 2020).

The term solidarity especially after the outbreak of the COVID-19 became more popular around the globe. "Solidarity is a unity of feeling or sentiment among a group of people who share a common objective or interest, even despite differences and internal inequalities that might undermine unity" (Durkheim 2013). Solidarity enhances collectivism and togetherness in the society. It increases feelings of sharing, caring and social-wellbeing, which could be supportive to maintain proper stability and harmony. "Solidarity is rooted both in more instrumental motivations, such as the expectation of shared material gains, and in terms of "other-regarding preferences," in the sense that the individual derives pleasure from other group members' well-being and pain from group members' losses" (Cikara, Botvinick, and Fiske 2011).

This pandemic has stressed on fostering even more global solidarity ever before. But present world is divided and threat on globalization increased exponentially than before particularly with the ascendancy of Donald Trump at the White House in 2016. Like as talking, building solidarity between

various groups with maintaining proper coordination and accountability is hugely difficult task and very hard to sustain for a long run (Olson 2009). Experts opine that at the time of pandemic situation building solidarity in a national and global level both are significant factors. Without maintaining solidarity in a national level, global solidarity would be hard to materialize. "Us" vs. "them" tendency is catastrophic for both national and global level, which funnel division and create hurdles for a resolution (Tajfel 2001; Tajfel and Turner 1986).

At the time of pandemic crisis and after that, even more holistic approach for solidarity is required. But there are also some sign of exercising exclusionary politics in the world (Gidron and Hall, 2017). It will be fatal for global peace and stability, and furthermore it increases confrontation and zero-some game in the global politics. Partisan polarization hampers all necessary steps and blocks the coordinated response to the pandemic (Gadarian, Goodman and Pepinsky 2020). At a time of critical moment of the world, the most powerful country US is showing little support to fight against the pandemic. US analysts say they never see such kind of political polarization in the last 50 years in the internal affairs of US.

At the case of national and international sphere, role of non-state actors can be pivotal to create common understanding and joint efforts to combat the pandemic. In all most all-rich and poor countries, various types of non-state actors have been working with collaborating the both government and common people (Cammett and MacLean 2014). Their attachment with the people is sometime even closer due to people-centered programs. Similarly, there are many controversial non-state actors too which just funnel division in the society. We need to be careful from their notorious intention. Otherwise, truly social work based non-state actors support for welfare of the society. Their role to enhance solidarity and making people aware can be beneficial (Hacker 2002; Allard 2009). At the vital time of the pandemic, the respective countries need to take support of non-state actors to mobilize people and make them aware about the crisis.

"New Normal" from Asia

With the dawn of the 21st century and particularly after the economic recession of the 2008, many Asian countries have been showing their economic muscle with political stability and social harmony. Their global attachment and cooperation also rose with fostering multiple levels of partnership. It shows that Future of Asia is now and ahead a bright and we can expect continues growth and advancement (Tonby and Woetzel 2020). Studies show that Asia will take 40 percent of consumption and 52 percent of global GPD by 2040 (McKinsey Global Institute 2019). Pandemic has proved on that developmental seriousness and experiences of Asian countries to deal with crisis and prepare for future is comparatively high even though some countries had bed management. Genuine support and cooperation of common people to the appeal of the leadership is hugely beneficial to combat with crisis in a proper manner.

Asia countries have a long history of civilizations, experiences and practices. One significant aspect of Asian people is that wherever they go or settle, they follow their culture and practices, which they learned from their ancestors. The confidence, trust to the leadership and becoming responsible of Asian at the time of pandemic, which are also praised from Western writers and thinkers. Mostly South Asia need to show more collectively efforts due to their poor infrastructure and attachments (Fruman and Kaul 2020). Structural changes the pandemic will bring in the world will have long-term impacts. No countries can go ahead with existing state mechanisms and policies. People are making distinct perspective about state structure, leadership and incumbent policies. The next normal will be different world phenomena.

According to the data of the World Bank, Asia is a home to 60 percent population of the world and to 30 percent of the world's poorest people. Knowing this scenario, Asia nations since the beginning scenario of outbreak of the corona virus in Wuhan of China, has started possible and necessary measures to detect it, even they didn't follow the hard measures at first. High-risk areas in terms of population and structural management have been successful to keep the situation in a control. Even having cases, Asian nations are not affected by virus like Western world. Some Western medical experts talked about the benefits of Asian food habits and cooking methods to make the immunity power strong and adopt on every situation. This kind of discussion in Asian nations is very common particularly at the time of pandemics. It is common in Asian countries to criticize Western lifestyle method saying anti-nature and artificial.

Even at the time of pandemic, most of the Asian nations have accelerated their efforts for production. Till now, around 43 percent of the world's largest companies have their central offices in Asia. China never stops its production even when it was hit massively at the February and March by corona virus. Chinese President Xi Jinping instructed government officials to make economy dynamic with maintaining necessary measures and speed up national consumption to keep economy active and fresh. Interesting thing is that even at a critical situation created by corona virus, most of the Asian countries have not faced any shortages of things as we saw in Western countries people were fighting for toilet papers and stoking a lot. McKinsey survey shows that confidence of consumers is increasing in China and other Asian countries in a positive ways at the time of crisis too (Daniel, Kim and Zhang 2020).

In a time of crisis, the state needs to take necessary steps without hesitation in protecting citizen's lives. While COVID-19 was hampering social life, most of the Asian countries have started to use advanced technologies with aiming to maintain social distance, continue the essential works and making the economy active. In comparison to other countries of the world, even than the US use of modern technologies in China in day to day purposes is very high. There are many researches on it. Normally now Chinese society is almost cashless; online payment is dominating the transaction. Even at times of pandemic, using Tencent meeting app, many conferences or summit were arranged in China. Use of modern technologies in other Asian countries except China is also increasingly high. So sell of new

modern technologies of any sectors is high in Asian countries rather than Europe and America combine.

Based on these scenarios, experts say that post-COVID-19 "new normal" will be started first in Asia (Tonby and Jonathan 2020). China, Japan, South Korea and India have already announced massive amount to spend on new infrastructure projects to give new energy on national economy. For it, mobilization of the resources and manpower is very vital. Every government needs to build up policies to create a confidence and trust upon people. Some experts think that new definition is required on exercising globalization. This is not bad, but any kinds of hyper-nationalism or protectionism to disrupt the pace of globalization hamper the global norms of trade, laws and a developed common practice. Asia's "new normal" situation will be supportive to revitalize global economy and people's well-being (Sharma 2020). It will create new dimension and pace on present trend of globalization and world order as per requirement of present and future time.

COVID-19 and US-China Confrontation:

Experts say that two major economies of the world US and China have deeper confrontation after the outbreak of COVID-19 than before. As professor Yuen Yuen Ang at University of Michigan says that at the last four decades China's economic growth became strong with integration with the rest of the world, which in turn rested on relatively amicable relations between China and its trade partners (Jing 2020). US which has supported for medical improvement in China through meaningful cooperation have ignored effect of corona and take easily when China was deeply suffered by corona virus. Virus doesn't care nationalities or any boundaries. As experts warned many cases seen in US. But due to the deliberate ignorance and lack of proper leadership under Donald Trump, the corona virus took thousands lives and infected people are in a large number than other parts of the world. "Just as Children are taught that two wrongs don't make a right, tit-for-tat blame does not justify severing the world's most important bilateral relations" says Professor Stephen S. Roach (2020). We should not enter toward harsh consequence. Now the world is more integrated, and until and unless we all are safe by COVID-19 no one will be safe.

Trump administration's malign approach toward China could have severe economic impact. China is a big market for many American big companies. There is also huge amount of investment from Chinese side in multiple American financial assets. Recently publish American official document on China seems also not to be more aggressive toward China, but American politicians blaming China to gain political fit in their country. Trump administration recently published official document *United States Strategic Approach to The People's Republic of China* (2020) says:

"The United States recognizes the long-term strategic competition between our two systems. Through a whole-of-government approach and guided by a return to principled realism, as articulated by the NSS, the United States Government will continue to protect American interests and advance American

influence. At the same time, we remain open to constructive, results-oriented engagement and cooperation from China where our interests align. We continue to engage with PRC leaders in a respectful yet clear-eyed manner, challenging Beijing to uphold its commitments."

But in practice, particularly after Trump came in White House in 2016, his ultra-nationalist approach becomes the instrument to fulfill his parochial interest. But for a long run, it will hamper American value, long liberal practices and consolidation with the global community. In another side, China is increasing global role thorough hard and soft power and success to build up partnership with many countries. Increasing membership and attraction toward the China-led Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) around the world displays the China's positive and comprehensive posture toward the world. "China, fulfilling its own interpretation of its national destiny, will continue to develop its economy and pursue a broad range of interests in Asia and beyond. This is not a prospect that dictates the confrontations that led to the First World War. It suggests an evolution in many aspects of which China and the United States cooperate as much as they compete" (Kissinger 2012).

The consequence of the US-China tussle could go far beyond the economic realm (Roach 2020). This time not only hardliner American policy makers, even the soft theorists of relations also provoking for action against the rise of China. Talking with media persons Chinese foreign minister Wang Yi said that it is necessary to be alert from some political forces in US who are trying hard to push the US and China toward a new Cold War (Mo 2020). He further says "the dangerous practice is turning back by both peoples over the years, but also undermine the future development of the US, and jeopardize world stability and prosperity" (Ibid.). For US-China relations, competition with cooperation approach is more benefits for themselves and also peace and stability of the entire world. US should accept the changing reality of global powers equations of the world, and play a role to maintain accommodation and adaptation process of change in a proper manner.

China's Role Since the Outbreak of the COVID-19

When China was facing deep crisis of COVID-19, majority countries of the world became serious on that if virus went on uncontrolled it will be devastating for the rest of the world. They have also extended support to the China. Chinese government which is depicted as having strong administrative and institutional mechanism gave top priority to fight against the virus and save people's live (China Daily 2020). President Xi ordered people's war against virus and put all efforts to using all possible mechanism with providing strong political support and leadership (Ibid.). Till the end of the May there were total 82,982 infected cases in China. Among them 4, 624 death and around 78, 277 completely recovered (Corona Help 2020).

"The Chinese government has upheld the principle of relying on the people and considered keeping them well informed as a key element to build consensus between the government and the public" China Daily (2020) says. Unlike in the West, particularly in East Asian countries, trust upon

government by the people is high. Even on using mask or not, American society is divided in different factions and politician try to appease parochial political interest. But in other hand, America's Centers for Disease Control and Prevention has been suggesting people to use face masks in public place to control the spread of corona virus (Alfonso III 2020). Unlike in China, people's trust to the government in America seems very low. "The flexible and humanized social management and non-medical intervention featured by standard quarantine measures became key factors for containing the spread of the virus. The screening, test and supervision measures and epidemiological investigation proved to be crucial in cutting off the chain of virus transmission" (China Daily 2020).

As Chinese media outlets reported beside proper handling and management of the cases, Chinese medical experts use traditional Chinese medicines, according to them, for some COVID-19 patients it works very effectively too. Chinese social security system is said has given confidence and economic fewer burdens to the common people. So once they feel symptoms, they immediately report to the medical team. But in the most of the countries of the West, due to lack of proper and sufficient health insurance and proper social security arrangement, mostly poor people don't want to reach hospitals even when they feel uncomfortable in terms health. "One in five low-income Americans said they went without care because they couldn't afford it. Only one out of 25 high-income families said the same thing. Without treatment, the poor sick get sicker until they wind up the emergency room" (Amadeo 2020).

Chinese experience to fight against the COVID-19 says that the complete mobilization of the people is required with proper information, instructions and methods. World Health Organization (WHO) has also suggested global community to be rational and aware maintaining necessary measures to fight against COVID-19. "The best way to prevent and slow down transmission is be well informed about the COVID-19 virus, the disease it causes and how it spreads. Protect yourself and others from infection by washing your hands or using an alcohol-based rub frequently and not touching your face." (WHO 2020). Chinese government instructed people to follow this guidance of WHO and maintain all necessary measures saying that without complete support and trust of people upon government fight against COVID-19 will be difficult and it would take thousands lives. Unfortunately, in America it seems that people are ignoring the advices and instructions of government agencies and medical experts. So more devastating situation is occurred due to ignorance and irresponsibility.

China's experience shows that intellectual circle and opinion leaders have played significant role to impart awareness about maintaining measures at the time of health crisis. It is said that Chinese health institutes have made various social apps to flow necessary information. They also teach how to wear masks, how to use sanitizers, importance of warm water, washing hands and use of food items. China's the National Health Commission (NHC) has published six guidelines for travel, family, transportation, occasions, public places and medical preparation at home, and also it published a question-answers manual to teach common people about COVID-19. Medical experts say that easy information flow

about health issues to public could have significant impacts on prevention and control of disease from people's side.

Role of government and private media in China on flowing COVID-19 related information with facts and actual scenarios is said more effective to support on prevention and expanding awareness about the disease. Unlike in America, Chinese media are not divided. "Chinese media covered moving stories of frontline medical workers, community workers, volunteers, police officers and other officials. These stories inspired an increasing number of citizens from all walks of life to participate in prevention and control efforts across the country" write China Daily (2020). Having almost one third of the world population, experts says that China's work is highly commendable to control the pandemic effectively and supporting the rest of the world with all necessary medical things (Sharma 2020).

China's Role in a Post-Pandemic Scenario

Albeit the large population and still a developing country, China has showed more effectiveness to contain the virus and get back the society into the normal situation. WHO, United Nations (UN) and other many international organizations praised Chinese leadership for their role to back the situation on track (Zhang 2020). Policymakers and experts are thinking seriously about the world order and parameter of cooperation and partnership on the post-pandemic situation. Major pillar of the world the economy seems getting huge lose as World Bank and International Monetary Fund (IMF) has already warned (Perez 2020). Coronavirus pandemic could push millions people into the poverty globally. In the US itself in April, around 20 million people filed for unemployment benefits. The situation in the under-developed and developing world will be more devastating.

China seems maximized efforts to normalize the pandemic situation and it's leadership focused on optimum socio-economic activities to revive the economic situation. When the China was getting normal, pandemic was taking stronghold in many countries of the continents. America, Britain, Italy, Spain and many other had suffered a lot. At this situation China contributed huge amount of medical equipments, masks and drugs to many countries. Chinese Communist Party (CCP) and government agencies were working closely for global solidarity to combat with Coronavirus (Xinhua News Agency 2020). At the critical situation brought by the common threat of the world, there is no alternative of expanding the international solidarity.

Post-Pandemic "New-Normal" situation will be most challenging on multiple fronts. Furthermore, distrust and misperception among the major powers would be delayed for national and global recovery process. The second economy China which was early affected by corona and early normalized through its massive integrative efforts, has provided direct and indirect support and contribution to bring back the global economy. "China's getting back to normal growth is almost definitely key for the performance of the world economy. We need urgency, imagination and determination around the

world, and we do not, the recession the world inevitably already got into the past few weeks will end up being very severe" Says former UK Treasury Secretary Jim O' Neill (China Youth 2020).

Chinese business indicator shows businessmen and entrepreneurs have confidence on economic reform and re-advancement. China's economy recovery process could play as an engine to drive economic growth of the entire world. At the historic two sessions Chinese leadership vowed to carry out economic reform and augment to create environment for the private sectors with necessary policy reforms. "China will increase financial support to keep business operations stable. Large commercial banks should increase inclusive finance lending to micro and small businesses by more than 40 percent. China will fully advance Internet Plus initiative across the board and create new competitive strengths in the digital economy" report of the two sessions says (China Daily 2020 May 22). China's economic restructuring plan with promotion of the consumer awareness and use of technologies is said to be qualitatively long-term beneficial for economic advancement of China and rest of the world. With aiming to foster economy, China's the National Development and Reform Commission (NDRC) in April initiated an important step to increase the process of digital transformation for enterprises to target AI supporting measures and cloud-based big data (CGTN Online 2020 May 20).

China as a second economy and also among the countries which became fast active on combating Covid-19 effectively, need to expand more generosity, flexibility and support to revive social and economic sphere of the world. China already launched Health Silk Road (HSR) to support to combat corona and also to bring back the situation on normal. As per HSR, China has increased diplomatic efforts to support rest of the global community to get the virus under control (Sengupta 2020). Trump administration is leaving global responsibility with cutting relations to WHO. At the critical scenario of the world as a responsible stakeholder, China is expected to foster optimum cooperation and solidarity with the rest of world to back the situation on track. Now the world is more interconnected and similarly have inter-complexities. At this situation without putting misunderstanding aside, world powers should follow unity and solidarity to eliminate the common enemy. "In a globalized world, networks are a key source of power. And in an increasingly complex world, the most connected states- the ones most capable of attracting partners for cooperative efforts- are the most powerful" (Nye 2020).

Post-COVID 19 Global World Order and China's Role

COVID-19 has multiple effects besides health issues. So, policymakers and experts are giving important time to analyze and prepare for new changing political, economic, social, military and technological shift on the post-COVID 19 scenario. International forums like United Nations (UN), World Bank (WB), International Monetary Fund (IMF), Asian Development Bank (ADB) and many others international organizes have frequently warned to be prepared for new difficult scenario and work collectively to tackle the challenges and move toward a new prosperity with proper management. The COVID-19 scenario has quivered the basic foundations of the balance of power and existing

global order (Hussai and Soherwordi 2020). Experts opine that COVID-19 will divide the global event on pre and post COVID-19 global era. So new world order will be created in the future. Developing world has always been seeking fair and balanced order globally (Sharma 2019).

The message of the COVID-19 is that the world should be even more connected and range of solidarity need to be further augmented. Existing global system and its procedures are completely inefficient and cannot be trusted furthermore. Post-World War II global institutions and understanding have become like a sharp-less knife. Lack of the global leadership is shown clearly, so new tangible changes on international politics and system is a demand and requirement of the Post-COVID-19 era. Corona effects shows the importance of technologies and global network development. “Industry reports before COVID-19 outbreak estimated the value of enterprises video conferencing at \$4.48 billion by 2023, but now it could touch that figure in 2020” says Tech Mahindra CEO CP Gurnani (2020). It means advance technologies will guide the future roadmap of the national and global cooperation, development and network of connections.

China has published White Paper on the country’s battle against COVID-19. It provides detail about the China’s fight against COVID-19, international cooperation and China’s eagerness to support international solidarity to combat such kinds of challenges in the future (The State Council Information Office 2020 p. 62). The report says, “in international cooperation on joint prevention and control, it is essential that major countries take the initiative, fulfill their responsibilities and do their share of the work. China is ready to strengthen exchanges and cooperation with other countries including the US to jointly tackle this pandemic, especially in the fields of research, development, production and distribution of vaccines and drugs” (Ibid. p.62). The Chinese leadership has taken battle against COVID-19 like a big war and mobilized all efforts to eradicate it completely. Similarly, according to the Chinese government newspapers, China has generously extended cooperation and support to stand other countries to fight against COVID-19 (People’s Daily 2020 June 9).

Pandemic will have multiple effects on major factors of the global sphere. Acknowledging this scenario, at the White paper, China has vowed to support global community to face the challenges and also urge international organizations to work jointly and fulfill the responsibilities (The State Council Information Office 2020, p. 63). “Decoupling, erecting wall and deglobalization may divide the world, but will not do any good to those who themselves are engaged in these acts. China believes that the international community should proceed with globalization, safeguard the multilateral trading system based on the WTO, cut tariffs, remove barriers, facilitate the flow of trade, and keep international industrial and supply chains secure and smooth” (Ibid. p. 62). Experts opine that post-COVID 19 management will be most challenging task to the countries even worse scenario than WWII. Generous support of the big economies to the weaken ones is essential to bring a world economy on a track.

New world order is a demand of the time. To tackle with new challenges and thereat prevail in the world and for a future dilemma, new consensus needs to be built up between global community. Huge changes have occurred between 1945 to till now, and changes will continue in the future whether they are positive and negative. Acknowledging the changing scenario and demand of the global community, particularly major powers should be positive and play a constructive role to write new doctrine of new world order. China as a second economy and significant stakeholder of the global community should play even more constructive role as she committed to make a framework for a new world order with consulting other stakeholders. China's future role will have striking impacts on conduction of global governance and system.

Conclusion:

Experts have diverse opinion on Post-COVID 19 world scenario. But one thing is very clear that COVID-19 will have multiple impacts in the society and around the world. It will take long time to fully normalize the situation. Some medical experts are suggesting for fighting and living together with the virus. A group of scientists of Harvard university suggested that just first phase of COVID-19 is passed and minimum by 2022 we have to maintain social distancing and other necessary precautions to be safe from COVID-19 (Wood 2020). So, it is better to work with taking measures otherwise the virus would have severe impacts and takes more lives. At this critical situation international solidarity and cooperation are further required to eradicate the virus completely and build the safe and better condition of the world. Major advanced countries should take this responsibility and expectation of developing world and play a prime role to back the situation normal.

Chinese leadership did everything to control the virus and normalize the situation. Once China came in a normal situation, the many countries of the world faced serious effects of virus. China with building idea of Health Silk Road, has started to provide required medical supports to many countries including US (Huang 2020). Chinese communities in the US have played very active to provide medical equipment and other necessary items to the US hospitals even though US was blaming China for virus (Ibid.). Chinese President Xi calls many head of states and governments to build up strong solidarity to combat jointly with the virus. But Western media without any proofs and evidence disseminated disinformation against China. Another side, Chinese media has played very constructive role to augment the essentiality of cooperation and solidarity at the critical time of the world scenario. Role of major powers is more expected at a critical time rather than other normal condition.

As US administration shows to distract from international efforts, rest of the world particularly developing world is looking towards China. Experts are worried about the possibilities of increasing populism, nationalism and protectionism in the future. Pandemic has done strikes a lot on many fronts of the societies. Deep structural problems will be seen and governments need to be faced people's frustration and dissatisfaction in the future. At the very context, only alternative is to deepen global solidarity and tackle the common challenges with supportive cooperation and partnership. As Chinese

President Xi says there is no alternative of the global solidarity to tackle the global problems. He calls on all countries to act swiftly, display solidarity, intensify cooperation on all fronts, and battle the pandemic together.

China as a second economy and responsible stakeholder of the world, without any delay and hesitation need to think broadly and take action swiftly to contribute for creating new world order with building consensus with developing world. No matter, US administration serious or not on global issues, China should show more generosity, seriousness and supportive posture to contribute and work together with the global community. If China do as per above mentioned suggestions, Chinese efforts will be written in a history book and appreciate by the future generation to come.

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